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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Small Entity		Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0

### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

#### Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

Small Entity

Fee (\$) Fee (\$)

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
-20 or HP =	x	=		Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	
-3 or HP =	x	=		

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### 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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### 4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other: Terminal Disclaimer Fee (small entity) 65

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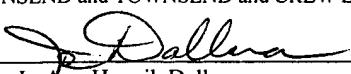


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**COMMUNICATION**

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Sir:

The following communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed on August 25, 2005.

Claims 64-74 are pending. All the pending claims are rejected for obviousness-type double patenting in view of U.S. Pat. No. 6,271,037. Applicants respond by filing a Terminal Disclaimer with fee authorization which accompanies this communication.

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CONCLUSION

Applicants submit that the outstanding rejections have been fully addressed and that the claims are in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner believe that prosecution could be expedited by way of a telephone interview, she is invited to call the undersigned attorney at the number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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